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Sir:

In reply to the Office Action mailed May 8, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please replace claims 1, 6, 10 and 13 with the following claim:

1. (Amended) A document authoring device for a document which contains a goals outline and a presentation outline, comprising:
- a user interface;
  - a memory;
  - a controller coupled to the user interface and the memory, wherein the controller links the goals outline and the presentation outline of the document together based on an input received through the user interface and data stored in the memory to at least partially author the document, and further wherein the goals outline comprises organization of document information content and the presentation outline comprises appearance characteristics of the document.